

BETHANY-LONGSTREET FIELD

09-1205 and 09-1206

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2009**, upon the application of **EL PASO E&P COMPANY, LP.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B**, in the Bethany-Longstreet Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

1. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize seven (7) horizontal wells as alternate unit wells for HA RB SUDD at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize seven (7) horizontal wells as alternate unit wells for HA RB SUQQ at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application.
3. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B, underlying the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
4. To permit the operator of HA RB SUDD and HA RB SUQQ to produce the allowables assigned to these units from either the unit well, from any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells, at the option of the Operator.
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 289-R-1, effective April 29, 2008, was redefined as to HA RB SUDD by Order No. 289-R-20, effective October 21, 2008, and was redefined as to HA RB SUQQ by Order No. 289-R-30, effective June 2, 2009.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

<http://dnr.louisiana.gov/conshearings>

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

**JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.